## **CHAPTER NO. 806**

#### **HOUSE BILL NO. 3222**

### By Representative Stulce

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 3265

# By Senator Crutchfield

AN ACT relative to court costs and litigation taxes in a Court of General Sessions.

# BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the presiding judge of a Court of General Sessions may suspend the court costs and the litigation tax as required by Sections 67-4-602—67-4-606, for any indigent criminal defendant, as in the presiding judge's opinion the equities of the case require.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

**PASSED: April 13, 1998** 

HOME OF REPRESENTATIVES

JOHN S. WILDER SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 23rd day of April 1998

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